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As scary as they look, these are the leaders of tomorrow but on the evening of Oct. 31 they were just seven teenagers of the Didsbury High School leadership team lined up to tour the haunted house at the high school's Haunted Halls party.

Council rejects an R5 re-designation application

BY FRANK DABBS
 MVP Staff

After eight months of controversy, two hours of questioning and a citizen presentation at its Oct. 27 meeting, council voted four-to-three against high-density residential development on 13th Avenue at 24th Street.

The decision to reject a proposed bylaw to re-designate a five-acre parcel of land from low density R2 to high density R5 came on third and final reading of the bylaw.

Mayor Rick Mousseau and councillors Lavar Adams and Joyce McCoy voted for the bylaw. Deputy mayor Garth Hollinger and councillors Gail Nowlan, Sheila Schulz and Kim Moore voted against it.

During the gallery question period at the beginning of the meeting, members of a 30-person delegation of residents who live near the land grilled councillors for an hour about how mitigation of impacts of development might be accomplished.

In a presentation at the meeting, 23rd

Street resident and former town councillor Marjorie Malinowski summarized the development concerns of area residents.

She asked who would pay for a water line to the new homes, the lift stations for wastewater and the tearing up and repaving of 12th Avenue for construction.

She raised again the traffic and pedestrian safety and bug and odour control issues that a possible stormwater pond might generate.

She said the height of high-density residential buildings would create unwanted shadows on adjacent homes.

And she expressed worries that a local improvement levy that might be imposed on existing residents would be unfair and that a developer might avoid paying its share of such costs.

Property owners Lance and Linda Plewis said there is no development proposed yet for the five acres and the questions that residents and Malinowski asked should be addressed when an application for a development

permit is made.

"We are just property owners who want to sell the property," Linda Plewis said.

Lance Plewis said the present R2 designation is more to be feared because it allows for housing that will be less attractive and have a greater impact on the neighbourhood.

"This is not a park and (under the present R2 designation) a developer could build duplexes or lower-quality housing. Things can go off the rails very quickly with R2," he said.

Although the developer backed off because of the delays in getting an R5 re-designation, the potential buyer wanted the R5 designation to build high-end condominiums and seniors' villas, Plewis said.

"We have been in this town 38 years and I have been in construction for 30 years. And I have learned that development is not the boogie man," he said.

Mayor Rick Mousseau said the questions that residents have raised should be answered when a developer makes an application to build on the land.

However, the protesting residents want to know specifically what high-density housing is proposed before re-designation is granted.

"We want a package of zoning and end use," said one resident.

"That's not the way the system works," several council members replied.

Malinowski said there is "an information void. We feel like we are not being taken seriously and not being respected."

Linda Plewis said, "I agree that you have valid concerns but (council's decision on R5 re-designation) is the wrong platform to address them."

However, residents said they did not want to wait for the Municipal Planning Commission to consider and decide on a development permit.

Malinowski proposed an informal meeting "without the emotion and tension that is here tonight," which neither council nor the Plewis family agreed to.

Without a specific development proposal on the table, there is nothing to resolve, said the Plewis family.

It's a catch-22, Malinowski said.



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Mountainview Colts rookie Evan Ingram (22) celebrates a shot from the point that slides past defenceman Wyatt Sawchuk and goalie Greg Pols into the Three Hills Thrashers net. The Colts won the Oct. 28 contest in Didsbury 6 to 2.

Frank Dabbs/MVP Staff

Colts continue winning at one third point of season

BY FRANK DABBS
MVP Staff

Two things are certain after 13 games – one third – of the

Mountainview Colts' regular 2015-16 season. The Colts start games slow and finish them strong.

Case in point: the

Colts beat the Three Hills Thrashers 6 to 2 in the midweek game on Oct. 28.

However they were behind 1 to 0 at the

end of the first period on a goal by Thrasher defenceman Brian Beaulieu. The Thrashers also outshot the Colts during the period by 15 to 10 and out-checked and out-played them both offensively and defensively.

Colts defenceman Dennis Lawrence evened the score on a power-play goal six minutes into the second period and went ahead 2 to 1 when rookie Evan Ingram connected five minutes later. But Tony Vanderlinde tied the score with five minutes remaining in the second frame.

The Colts finally

retook the lead and stayed ahead when Cole Sutherland scored, assisted by Tyson Schmidt and Colton Anderson before the end of the period.

Adding points

The team added three points to the tally in the third period. Clinton Armitage assisted by Evan Ingram, Tyson Schmidt assisted by Cole Sutherland and Clinton Armitage, and Colton Anderson assisted by Jack Vergouwen notched the goals.

The only reason the Colts weren't penalized at several points in the

game for having too many men on the ice was that goalie Thomas Della Siega was two or more of them.

His play, taking scoring opportunities away from the Thrashers, particularly when the Colts were behind in the score, was the reason that the game didn't get away from the Didsbury team.

The Colts completed the statistical one third of the regular season with 12 wins and one defeat. However, they have trailed in four games at the end of the first period, been tied three times and led after only six first periods – a little less than half the time.

The team led at the end of the first period in only two of the six pre-season games, trailed three times and were tied twice.

They lost three of the exhibition games, twice to the Airdrie Thunder who defeated them in their only regular season loss. In those three games, Airdrie has lead twice after the first period and the teams were tied once.

The Colts beat the Airdrie Thunder once in regular season play in the game when they won the first period.

In spite of their winning record, the Colts can make it easier for themselves in the scheduled games if they can improve in the first 20 minutes of play.

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Colts top Heritage league power ranking

BY FRANK DABBS
MVP Staff

Named as the top team in the Heritage Junior B power ranking for the week ending Oct. 29, the Mountainview Colts celebrated by downing the Okotoks Bisons 5 to 3 on Halloween.

The Colts moved from second to first place in the rankings because they bounced back from their only loss of the season, a 4-2 defeat at the hands of the Airdrie Thunder, by outscoring their opponents, the Strathmore Wheatland Kings and the Three Hills Thrashers by 13 to 6 in the next two games, which they won.

"Their 6.08 goals per game is far and away the tops in the league," the power ranking citation said.

Airdrie ranked second for the week of Oct. 29 and the rivalry between the two teams in the pre-season and season stands at three games won by the Thunder and one for the Colts.

However the Colts have a healthy first-place standing with 26 points, eight points ahead of the second-place Thunder who have 18 points and a game in hand.

On the season, they have outscored opposing teams by a commanding 76 to 42.

The Cochrane Generals are in first place in the Heritage Junior B south division with 19 points after nine victories, two defeats and a tie in a game that the Generals won in overtime.

The game against Okotoks on Oct. 31 was decided in the third period when the Colts scored three unanswered goals to overcome a one-point deficit at the end of the second period.

Officials called 15 penalties in a sometimes-fractious game. However neither team scored on their power plays, including almost two minutes in the second period when the Colts had a five-on-three advantage.

The Bisons opened the scoring at the 16-minute mark of the first period on a goal scored by Caleb Eefting assisted by Darren Bordt and Michael Janz. However Ryan Klink tied the game seconds later, on a pass from Jacob Vander Zagg.

Okotoks dominated the second period scoring two goals, the first from Tyler Whiteside assisted by Harrison Smith and Stephen Shikaze, the second by Mark McLeod from Keifer Schaulfer.

The Bisons outshot the Colts 12 to 8 in the first frame, 16 to 14 in the second, 16 to 11 in the third period and 44 to 33 in the game, in a pattern that is becoming familiar to Mountainview fans who usually wait until well into the game for the Colts to settle down and take command of the ice.

In the third period, two goals from Mitchell Visser, the first assisted by Colton Anderson and the second by Cole Sutherland, and an unassisted bullet from Evan Ingram decided the game in the Colts' favour, 5 to 3.

The Colts play a return match with the Bisons in Okotoks on Nov. 5 then return to the Memorial Complex in Didsbury for a home game Nov. 7 with another south rival, the Medicine Hat Cubs.

Then the Colts have a 13-day bye, playing again in Airdrie on Nov. 20 before finishing the month with home games against Blackfalds Nov. 21 and Red Deer Nov. 25.

The month ends with a game in Banff Nov. 48

MOUNTAIN VIEW SCORING AFTER 14 GAMES

Player	Position	Games	Goals	Assists	Points
Colton Anderson	F	14	11	16	27
Tyson Schmidt	F	14	12	12	24
Cole Sutherland	F	14	12	10	22
Austin Pedersen	F	12	7	11	18
Jacob Vander Zaag	F	14	8	9	17
Evan Ingram	F	9	7	6	13
Clinton Armitage	D	11	3	8	11
Mitchell Visser	F	14	4	6	10
Benjamin Strautman	F	12	7	2	9
Jack Vergouwen	D	14	1	8	9
Ryan Klinck	F	6	6	2	8
Nicholas Miluch	D	11	1	5	6
Chad Jamieson	F	14	1	4	5
Dennis Lawrence	D	13	1	4	5
Ryan Knapp	D	12	1	4	5
Keaton Perigny	F	11	1	4	5
Chad Gross	D	12	0	4	4
Quintin Thorburn	F	11	1	2	3
Reed Engman	F	9	0	1	1
Dylan Muzyka	F	9	0	0	0
Trey Wallace	D	3	0	0	0

Legend: F=Forward; D=Defence

GOAL KEEPING

Player	Games Played	Won	Lost	Goals Allowed	Save %
Thomas Della Seiga	6	5	0	15	.933
Jake Carlson	7	6	1	21	.866
Tristan Jochems	1	1	0	6	.864

Save % = Saves per shots on net

Dragons lack healthy rooster

Final against Innisfail postponed

BY FRANK DABBS
MVP Staff

The Mountain View 9-man Football League final was postponed Oct. 31 because the Didsbury Dragons did not have a healthy rooster of players to field against the Innisfail Cyclones, Didsbury coach Mark LeFebvre says.

A serious broken ankle suffered by veteran running back and linebacker Nils Hanie in the semi-final game against Sundre Bisons depleted the Didsbury ranks when the team was already working with a very short bench.

"It was a clean tackle," Didsbury

Coach Mike Lefebvre said of Hanie's injury.

"It was just one of those things that happens in football," he said.

The injury delayed the semi-final while paramedics responded to the football field, asking that Hanie not be helped to the sideline so that they could stabilize the ankle before transport in the ambulance to the hospital.

"Nils was taken to Calgary immediately and had surgery right away," said Coach LeFebvre.


The final has been rescheduled for Nov. 7 in Innisfail but at press time was still "up in the air," said LeFebvre.


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We Remember 2015

Remembrance Day service moves to Zion Church

Didsbury's annual community Remembrance Day service on Nov. 11 will take place this year in the Zion Church at the intersection of Highway 582 and 20th Avenue.

The commemoration hosted by the Didsbury Army Cadets has outgrown the Memorial Complex all purpose room where it has been held in recent years.

The church will open its sanctuary for the service at 10 a.m. and the cadets ask that people be seated by 10:15 a.m.

The service will start at 10:30 a.m. with the arrival of the Colour Party and the national anthem.

In addition to the traditional moment of silence at 11 a.m., the hour in France when the armistice ending the First World War came into effect, the Didsbury service will include war songs and sacred hymns sung by the Didsbury Valley Voices.

There will be a reading of the Didsbury Honour Roll and passages from the Bible.

Following the formal service, people will have the opportunity to visit with veterans and active servicemen and women.

The cadets will be receiving donations for wreaths to be used in future services.



Illustration from the book, In Flanders Fields - The Story of the Poem, by John McCrae.

Poem has impact 100 years later

In Flanders Fields was first published in England's Punch magazine in December 1915. Within months, this poem came to symbolize the sacrifices of all who were fighting in the First World War. Today, the poem continues to be a part of Remembrance Day ceremonies in Canada and other countries throughout the world.

The poem was written by a Canadian—John McCrae, a doctor and teacher, who served in both the South African War and the First World War.

In Flanders Fields

On Aug. 4, 1914, Britain declared war on Germany. Canada, as a member of the British Empire, was automatically at war, and its citizens from all across the land responded quickly. Within three weeks, 45,000 Canadians had rushed to join up. McCrae was among them. He was appointed brigade-surgeon to the First Brigade of the Canadian Field Artillery with the rank of Major and second-in-command.

He took with him a horse named Bonfire, a gift from

a friend. Later, McCrae sent his young nieces and nephews letters supposedly written by Bonfire and signed with a hoofprint.

In April 1915, McCrae was in the trenches near Ypres, Belgium, in the area traditionally called Flanders. Some of the heaviest fighting of the First World War took place there during that was known as the Second Battle of Ypres.

On April 22, the Germans used deadly chlorine gas against Allied troops in a desperate attempt to break the stalemate. Despite the debilitating effects of the gas, Canadian soldiers fought relentlessly and held the line for another 16 days.

In the trenches, McCrae tended hundreds of wounded soldiers every day. He was surrounded by the dead and the dying.

The day before he wrote his famous poem, one of McCrae's closest friends was killed in the fighting and buried in a makeshift grave with a simple wooden cross. Wild poppies were already beginning to bloom between the crosses marking the many graves.

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Whether serving in Europe, Asia, the Middle East, or right here at home, Canadian soldiers have a long and proud history of going above and beyond the call of duty. But Remembrance Day is about more than marking the battles of yesterday. It's about fulfilling a commitment to those who fight for our nation's freedom and security. With courage equaled only by the sacrifices they have made, Canada's soldiers and Veterans continue to serve our country with distinction.

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We Remember 2015

Unable to help his friend or any of the others who had died, John McCrae gave them a voice through his poem. It was the second last poem he was to write.

Soon after it was written, he was transferred to No. 3 (McGill) Canadian General Hospital in France where he was chief of medical services. The hospital was housed in huge tents at Dannes-Camiers until cold wet weather forced a move to the site of the ruins of the Jesuit College at Boulogne.

When the hospital opened its doors in February 1916, it was a 1,560-bed facility covering 26 acres. Here the wounded were brought from the Battle of the Somme, the Battle of Vimy Ridge, the third Battle of Ypres and from Arras and Passchendaele.

The cost of war

McCrae was deeply affected by the fighting and losses in France. He became bitter and disillusioned.

For respite, he took long rides on Bonfire through

the French countryside. Another animal companion was a casualty of the war, the dog Bonneau, who adopted McCrae as his special friend.

Writing letters and poetry also allowed McCrae to escape temporarily from the pressures of his administrative duties at the hospital. His last poem, *The Anxious Dead*, echoed the theme of *In Flanders Fields* but was never as popular as the earlier poem.

During the summer of 1917, John McCrae was troubled by severe asthma attacks and occasional bouts of bronchitis. He became very ill in January 1918 and diagnosed his condition as pneumonia. He was moved to Number 14 British General Hospital for Officers where he continued to grow weak.

On Jan. 28, after an illness of five days, he died of pneumonia and meningitis. The day he fell ill, he learned he had been appointed consulting physician to the First British Army, the first Canadian so honoured.

McCrae was buried with full military honours in

Wimereux Cemetery, just north of Boulogne, not far from the fields of Flanders. Bonfire led the procession, McCrae's riding boots reversed in the stirrups. His death was met with great grief among his friends and contemporaries.

The flower of remembrance

Before he died, McCrae had the satisfaction of knowing that his poem had been a success. Soon after its publication, it became the most popular poem on the First World War. It was translated into many languages and used on billboards advertising the sale of the first Victory Loan Bonds in Canada in 1917. Designed to raise \$150,000,000, the campaign raised \$400,000,000.

In part because of the poem's popularity, the poppy was adopted as the Flower of Remembrance for the war dead of Britain, France, the United States, Canada and other Commonwealth countries.

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Commentary

Trust, honesty and respect

There were three sides to the latest go-round in the residential high-density debate Oct. 27 – the owners of the property in question, residents affected by its development and town council.

The owners are Lance and Linda Plewis who have been Didsbury residents for 38 years and have contributed more than their share to town life.

The affected residents live in one of the oldest sections of town on the former Calgary and Edmonton Trail and have their homes and neighbourhood at stake.



FRANK DABBS

The seven elected members of council are caught in the middle with a development process that is imposed by law but has broken down in Didsbury.

The proposal that brought the high-density issue to the boiling point again is the construction of residences on a five-acre piece of land at 13th Avenue and 24th Street.

Lance and Linda Plewis own the land and want it re-designated from R2 low density to R5 high density to accommodate construction, ideally, of high-end condos and seniors' villas.

Councillors want a land use designation system that is more flexible than the present choice between R2 and R5.

Work is underway on a land use bylaw that has R3 and R4 designation that will give more nuanced choices to developers, residents and council.

The residents meanwhile want to see a firm proposal for the type of high-density residential buildings at the same time a land use re-designation application is made.

They also want ironclad assurances that their concerns, such as building heights and shadow, water lines, traffic, wastewater, and costs of infrastructure, will be addressed – to their satisfaction.

Council defeated the re-designation bylaw Oct. 27 but the five-acre plot won't go away and its development with the same set of impacts will be back.

Any large-scale residential development will be troubling until something more important than the land use bylaw is fixed.

What was missing in the debate was trust and respect between the three parties.

Without trust and respect none of the parties were prepared to accept the honesty of the others.

Council, town administration and residents will be at odds until they all share an epiphany as to the meaning of being in a long-term relationship.

No, that is wrong. They are in a permanent relationship.

As in a family, permanent relationships can't succeed unless it starts with trust, honesty and respect.

To maintain a permanent relationship the parties must share pertinent information.

And there must be the will to resolve issues so that all parties benefit.

Everyone will find they have to give up something to get something.

If a party insists on its own way, it won't work.



Letters

ABCD group looks to economic future

An enthusiastic conversation about economic development which began in a Didsbury coffee shop ... is now morphing into a group named the Alliance for Business and Community Development (ABCD). Founding members are in unanimous agreement that the vision and efforts of the initiative be fully supportive of the town under the guidance of the chamber of commerce and its mission statement:

"The Didsbury & District Chamber of Commerce is a community-based volunteer business organization, whose purpose is to support, promote, nurture, and educate for the improvement of our business community."

The Town of Didsbury has been at the centre of growth in the region for good reason since it was incorporated 110 years ago. A succession of national and regional companies continues to sustain local employment and business opportunities, attracted to the central corridor between two major cities, serving the agricultural community. The 2014 Re/Max farm report described Central Alberta farmlands as "being intensely in demand." We are endowed with a great regional hospital and health system that supports a growing seniors' care sector.

For residents, it's a one-hour commute to Calgary, 45 minutes to the Calgary International Airport, and 15 minutes to the major rural centre of Olds and Olds College. An added bonus: Didsbury is two hours from world-class wilderness recreation in the Rocky Mountains. We residents know what we value and enjoy about our town!

In this current recession, companies continue to consider Didsbury in their relocation planning, drawn by its advantages of location, small-town living and available skilled workforce. They need to be welcomed and facilitated in their efforts to overcome the obstacles to their progress.

Global uncertainties demand a fresh and creative energy to conquer the new challenges that all of us face. The ABCD derives optimism for this from the fundamental values of honesty and respect, as basis for increased clarity and certainty in our business environment. All who would like to join are welcome and invited to contact Barbara Neufeld at the chamber.

Fred Van Vleet
For the ABCD
Didsbury

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Bring it home.

It's your dog, not ours – your responsibility, not ours.

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property, it is trespassing and not appreciated one bit.

Plastic in our bins is not good for the landfill either. Bring it home!

L. Guertin
Didsbury

Liquor store sign is gaudy, not quaint

I don't understand, if the town wants us to be known by how quaint the uptown looks, why they allowed the new liquor store to have all those gaudy lights and signs on their store. In my opinion, it sure

takes away from the nostalgically attractive look I thought we were going for.

Kim Bullock
Didsbury

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Police Briefs

Truck vandalism could turn deadly

BY FRANK DABBS AND
PATRICIA RILEY
MVP Staff

Four recent incidents in which a stolen pickup truck was rigged to self-propel until it crashed have RCMP concerned that the prank could turn deadly.

"The danger is obvious," said Const. Andrew McKean of the Didsbury RCMP detachment.

In the incidents, which have taken place on rural roads, the steering wheel of the stolen truck is secured and the accelerator wedged. The truck is released, leaves the road and travels

at increasing speeds until it crashes, he said.

There would be a serious collision if an unsuspecting driver encountered one of these driverless cars travelling at speed and essentially out of control, McKean said.

If such a truck gets onto a flat field, it could travel quite a distance before it crashed.

In one incident on Twp. Rd. 312 on Oct. 26, a stolen and rigged-up Ford F-350 crossed a pipeline right-of-way, narrowly missed a power pole with a live line then ramped over the road and crashed into a fence, said McKean.

On Oct. 27, a stolen Ford F250 was

recovered, damaged and abandoned near the Elkton school building. The seatbelt was attached to the steering wheel and the accelerator was wedged with an object.

It had been stolen from the Deer Coulee area of Didsbury and there was an ATV on the back of the truck that has not yet been recovered. It's a yellow Suzuki and the licence plate is BYL22.

After a lull in vehicle thefts in Didsbury, Carstairs and south Mountain View County, there has been a rash of them, usually targeting trucks, he said.

Owners have been more alert, locking vehicles parked for the night and

removing wallets and other valuables.

However in a new development, thieves have been punching out the locks and tampering with the steering columns and ignitions of locked trucks, usually unsuccessfully.

"This is something new for us, the punched locks. Usually if somebody's going to go through a vehicle, they're going to go through it and it's going to be unlocked, that's what we normally see. But recently there has been people punching locks," said McKean.

These trucks are often rummaged through before the would-be thieves flee.

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Municipal Affairs minister won't probe Brown affair

BY FRANK DABBS
MVP Staff

Before he was shuffled out of the portfolio Oct. 22, Municipal Affairs Minister Deron Bilous declined an investigation requested by Didsbury town council into

the conduct of chief administrative officer Roy Brown.

In a letter to Mayor Rick Mousseau dated Oct. 19 Bilous wrote "Although legislation does permit me to initiate an inquiry or inspection at the request of council, it would be highly irregular

to proceed with such a process at this time based on my understanding of the matter."

Bilous continued, "An inquiry is contemplated in situations warranting a formal hearing for parties to present evidence, often under oath.

"Despite the judicial-like process, the final results of an inquiry would not result in a legal finding of guilt or liability. As such I do not believe that the situation in the Town of Didsbury warrants an inquiry," Bilous concluded.

On Sept. 22 at its regular meeting Didsbury town council instructed town administration "to contact the Minister of Municipal Affairs to undertake an inquiry into the conduct of the Chief Administrative Officer of the Town of Didsbury."

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www.didsbury.ca

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REGULAR TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS: Tuesday November 10 & 24, 2015 at 6:00 pm
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November

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Town ponders silencing train whistles

BY FRANK DABBS
MVP Staff

Town administration has recommended that the community should be consulted about the expense of halting train whistles in Didsbury before council spends the money.

Council at its regular Oct. 27 meeting deferred the matter until January.

The recommendation and deferral came after the Town of Carstairs declined to share the cost of an engineering study into upgrading train track level crossings of municipal roads.

Carstairs is interested in whistle cessation.

But it doesn't want the liability it would be obliged to assume for accidents that might occur after the train whistles were replaced with the required active safety measures including flashing lights and crossing gates.

A.U.S. Federal Railroad Administration study found that the risk of collision is "84 per cent higher at crossings where train horns were silenced."

An average of 62 per cent more collisions occurred at crossings with gates and flashing lights after train whistles were silenced.

And crossings secured by flashing lights but not gates had 119 per cent more collisions after train whistles were banned.

So Carstairs has decided not to proceed with the steps required by Transport Canada and CPR to halt the in-town whistles.

The problem created by the whistles as the passing trains cross roadways in the municipalities is the loud noise, especially at night.

The CPR rail tracks pass through the centre of Didsbury and on the east side of Carstairs. Residents of houses near the tracks find the noise disruptive to their lives, and those further away think it is annoying.

Historically, the two towns sprang up near the tracks to serve the grain elevators, cattle transport to slaughterhouses and milk trains, and the retail needs of the farmers who brought their production to the transportation hub.

Didsbury's grain elevators were torn down many years ago and trucking has replaced trains for farm-related hauling.

To stop the whistles, the municipality must tell the railway and Transport Canada and consult the railway to determine if in fact the crossings can be upgraded, Transport Canada says in its procedure for train whistling at public crossings.

If the railway and the town agree that the crossings can be upgraded, Transport Canada requires the municipality to notify, "all relevant associations or organizations and issue a public notice, of its intention to pass a resolution declaring that it agrees that whistles should not be used at a crossing or multiple crossings along the railway corridor."

The town would then hire an engineer to do a study on the steps necessary to bring the crossings up to Grade Crossing Standards established by Transport Canada.

At its own expense, the town would have to upgrade all the crossings within the town boundary and "be willing to incur the liability for the railway within their borders," the administration report to council says.

After the railway company and the town agree that the crossings meet the regulatory standard, Transport Canada makes a final decision. If Transport Canada gives the go-ahead, the town passes a resolution banning train whistles.

Transport Canada has advised the town that train engineers retain the right after the ban to use the whistle in town if they think it necessary.



Noel West/MVP Staff

At the Haunted Halls party on Halloween night at Didsbury High School Claire Nowlan, left, plays a ring toss game with Anika Land.

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In a successful truck theft case, police are looking for a dark brown late 1990s Dodge Ram 3500 stolen from the 20th Street and 20th Avenue area of Didsbury. The Alberta licence plate number of the truck is 90F 667.

In other police business, the RCMP are investigating a break-in Oct. 23 at the Brian Forestell law office at 1701 20th Ave. It appears nothing was taken, but some vandalism-type damage was done.

And "secret shopper" mail fraud is being reported in Didsbury and Carstairs involving an outfit that calls itself Northern Reflections as well as similar phoney companies.

A person receives a cheque with a

letter asking them to cash it, spend a portion of it on secret shopping and return the balance of the money to Northern Reflections or other alias marketing firms.

The cheque bounces because it is fraudulent and the secret shopper is on the hook for the amount.

A bank identified one such attempted fraud on Oct. 25, however there have been several similar local incidents and police are asking people to be alert when they receive such letters and false cheques.

The Didsbury RCMP detachment, which also polices Carstairs, and the surrounding rural community including Cremona, can be reached at 403-335-3382.

The Didsbury Car Club
has experienced another very successful year as hosts of the
Annual Show and Shine.

GET FUELED
DIDSBURY
Car Club

We were fortunate to have the weather on our side, and the Show and Shine this past year proved to be the most successful we have seen in Didsbury.

The Club, in the past year, has taken the direction of raising funds towards the Suicide Awareness Program. This is also proving to be a success. Our fundraisers included a Cruz/Poker Run, and a Drive-in Movie night.

The Club is hosting their Annual General Meeting on Thursday, November 12th, 7:30 P.M. at the Didsbury Train Station. The Agenda will include the elections for The Executive Board and the Board of Directors.

Everyone is welcome to attend, and we encourage the public to become Members. To be eligible to be nominated, the nominee must be a Club member for one full year and be in good standing with the Club. To be eligible to vote, the person voting must be a Club member. Memberships will be available at the door before the meeting. Refreshments to follow after the meeting. For more info, contact Gil (President) at 403-994-0845, gil.didsburycarclub@yahoo.ca or Dana (Vice President) at 403-923-2481, dana.didsburycarclub@yahoo.ca. Hope to see you there.



Rosebud duo to build new tree of hope

Clem Kuelker and Albert Ohlhauser, the dynamic duo of Didsbury volunteers, are building a new artificial Tree of Hope in time for the Nov. 21 Didsbury & District Chamber of Commerce Country Christmas.

The tree will be the result of two partnerships – the formal one with the chamber and the Rosebud Health Foundation and the informal one that Kuelker and Ohlhauser have as close friends and com-

munity leaders.

The Tree of Hope will be installed for Country Christmas on 20th Street in the heart of downtown, then moved to the site of the new heliport to be built in 2016 at the Didsbury hospital for the STARS air ambulance helicopters.

The new Tree of Hope will be 30 feet high, made of 30 insulated aircraft cables strung from a steel post, said the men in a request to Didsbury town council for permis-

sion to install the tree on 20th Street as part of the Country Christmas décor.

The chamber will host a decorating party on Nov. 14 and 15 at which volunteers will install garlands on lampposts downtown for the Christmas season. The chamber will serve chili and cookies to the volunteers.

The Tree of Hope will be lighted with 1,200 LED bulbs and will rest in a 5,100-pound concrete-filled earthmover tire that has a 55-inch diameter.

Kuelker and Ohlhauser are building the new tree together.

The old Tree of Hope is located in front of the now-closed Unit 4 at the hospital and is in need of repair and restoration of its lights.

In the past the Tree of Hope was a sign to remember deceased loved ones at Christmas, at a short ceremony that also raised funds for palliative care.

The new Tree of Hope will replace the old one

and at the heliport site will have more visibility from both 20th Avenue and Highway 582 at the east entry to the town.

Kuelker and Ohlhauser are spearheading the heliport project for the Rosebud Health

Foundation.

They are also volunteers for the Rosebud Community Grow Project that raises funds for the Foodgrains Bank by growing and selling grain on a quarter section of land south of Didsbury.

Museum is in the black

BY FRANK DABBS
MVP Staff

The Didsbury and District Historical Society, which operates the museum, finished its fiscal year Aug. 31 in the black with an income of \$21,709 and a healthy balance sheet.

President Frankie Kelly thanked Didsbury's town council at its regular Oct. 27 meeting for its

financial support and members' attendance at museum events and functions. The museum got its revenues of \$94,272 from private donations totalling \$17,329, events that raised \$7,808, a casino that netted \$30,606, grants of \$37,500, \$830 from memberships and \$198 in interest income.

Costs include \$24,025 in payroll expenses and \$46,782 in administrative items. Fundraising

costs were \$1,755.

The museum's balance sheet has equity of \$146,215 made up of retained earnings from income over the years including this year's net of \$21,709.

Kelly said its wide range of community programs are made possible because the museum has dedicated volunteers delivering services that are not on the income statement or balance sheet.

EARLY DEADLINES

for the **NOVEMBER 17** paper,
as **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11** we are **CLOSED**

The Mountain View Gazette
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is **Tuesday, November 10** at 4 p.m.,

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Garry McNeil 403-335-8611
For more information
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November 5. DHS Fall Band Concert. Thursday, November 5 at 7:00 pm at DHS Gym. Admission by donation

November 7. Didsbury Elks #514 invites everyone to their Annual Spaghetti Cupper, Wednesday, November 7 from 6 to 8 pm at the Elks Hall. Donations appreciated. More info, call Shelley Fakir at 403 335-9213 or Margo Ward at 403 556-5201.

November 9. Library Board Meets at 7 pm. There is a vacancy on the Board and meetings are open to the public. If you would like to attend and consider applying to be a Library Trustee, please join us.

November 11. Didsbury Elks # 514 invites everyone to their Remembrance Day Lunch on November 11 from 11:30 to 1:30 at the Elks Hall. Donations Appreciated. More info, call Shelley Fakir at 403 335-9213 or Margo Ward at 403 556-5201.

November 21. St. Cyprian's Anglican Church Women is planning for Saturday, November 21st, their Christmas Pudding Tea and Bake Sale. Begins at 2 pm and runs until 4 pm at the Church Hall. Everyone is welcome.

November 21. The Didsbury & District Chamber of Commerce is proud to host "Country Christmas", on Saturday, November 21 from 1pm - 8pm. Take a hayride around town. Rides leave from Didsbury Value Drug Mart and Victoria Square Mall. Stop in at the Train Station, visit with Santa Claus, and get your picture taken with the "Jolly Old Elf". Be sure to visit the Library for some MakeyMakey fun and cider, hot chocolate, and homemade cookies! Best of all is the great feeling you get while shopping in Didsbury.

November 22. Rugby Hall Turkey Supper is Sunday, November 22 from 2 to 5:30 pm. \$12 for adults, \$5 for 6 to 11 year-olds, Preschoolers are free. For more info call Della at 403 335-8767 or Pat at 403 335-4248.

November 25. Jazzfest! Chinooks Edge School Division Student Jazz Concert. Wednesday, November 25 at 7:00 pm at Trans Canada Theatre, Olds. Admission by donation

November 26. Jazzfest! With Calgary Jazz Orchestra Thursday, November 26 at 7:00 pm at Trans Canada Theatre, Olds. Tickets available at DHS.

November 28. Friends of the Didsbury Library "Pre-Christmas Book Sale" in the storage building behind the HiHo Gas Bar. Hours will be from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. 1000's of new and classic books for sale - children's, fiction, and non-fiction.

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BEAVERS MON. - 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

KING HIRAM LODGE #21 - has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month.

ST. HILDA CHAPTER #27 O.E.S - Has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler at 403-335-281

DIDSBURY SENIOR SUPPORT SERVICES - Co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 403-335-4391.

DIDSBURY SHUTTLE BUS - Scheduled transportation for anyone on Wednesdays & Fridays 9 - 3. Please call day prior or by 8:00 a.m. for pick up. 403-507-0208. Wheelchair accessible. Sponsored by the Didsbury Lions Club.

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DIDSBURY ADDICTION AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES - Provides free accessible mental health services. 403-335-7285.

DIDSBURY & DISTRICT HEALTH SERVICES AUXILIARY - monthly meeting on the first Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in Unit 4 at the hospital.

3025 RCACC DIDSBURY ARMY CADETS - Youth 12-18 Thursdays 6:30 - 9:30. Downstairs Victoria Square Mall 403-559-8801.

DIDSBURY MUSEUM - Tuesday - Friday 9 - 4:30 pm, Saturday 1 - 4:00 pm By appointment: Jim 403-335-0003 or Shirley 403-335-3277

DIDSBURY & DISTRICT COMMUNITY BUS. - Call Norma to book your trip. 403-586-4090. Competent drivers.

DIDSBURY YOUTH JUSTICE COMMITTEE'S - meetings are held the first Monday of each month. All persons interested in volunteering and helping to work with the youth in our community are encouraged to come.

PARENT LINK CENTER - Fun, FREE Programs for parents and children ages newborn to 6 yrs. Programs available at Didsbury Neighbourhood Place, #106, 2034 19th Avenue Didsbury. For more information call 403-559-7894 or www.mountainviewparentlink.org

DIDSBURY ELKS LODGE - supper meetings every 2nd and 4th Thurs. Supper at 7:00 p.m. meeting at 8:00 p.m. Call 403-335-4655.

SUPPER INVITATION - The Didsbury Lions Club welcomes men & lady visitors at their supper meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month, 6:45 p.m. at the 5-0 Club. For information and to RSVP call 403-335-9173 or 403-335-4796.

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DIDSBURY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLACE - is a resource centre for the town, we provide information and referral services, community programming, FCSS, resource lending library and meeting space available for rent. Please call 403-335-8719.

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MOUNTAIN VIEW ARTS SOCIETY - for lovers of art, culture and heritage of Didsbury & Mountain View County. Info at www.mountainviewartsociety.ca or call 403-335-9445.

DIDSBURY DEMENTIA SUPPORT GROUP meets every last Monday of the month. 3:00pm. at Aspen Ridge Lodge. Contact Sharon 403-335-7285.

PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE in OLDS is OPEN 10:00 - 5:00 Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays CALL: 587-796-1611 or email olds@pregnancycare.ca NEW service, clothing boutique for maternity clothes and NB - 2 years of age FREE

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MOUNTAIN VIEW CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S BREAKFAST Tues. Nov. 10, 2015 9:30 am Redeemer Lutheran Church Gym Didsbury AB. For reservations or more info Please call Ann 403-335-8444 or cell 402-559-8818 Free Babysitting.

DIDSBURY HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC in Concert November 5, 2015 at 7:00 pm in the Didsbury High School Gym. Admission by donation. Enter to win the 50/50 draw, all proceeds go the DHS Band program. Come and enjoy the great music.

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In Loving Memory



Donald Franklin Weber, 87, of Didsbury, Alberta passed away peacefully September 28, 2015 after an extended illness.

Don was born October 18, 1927 in Didsbury, Alberta, and grew up and farmed in the Westcott community until his retirement. Don will be remembered for his faith in God, a committed prayer life, his deep love of family, and his great sense of humor.

He leaves to mourn his passing his four daughters, Colette Weber, Marlene Wznoski (Tim), Diana Coney (Curtis), Cheryl Ehret (Kevin) and seven grandchildren. He was predeceased by his first wife Eleanor in 1989.

He married the second love of his life, Virginia Shaw, in 1993 and will be sadly missed and fondly remembered by her and his six stepchildren; Allen Shaw (Vicki), George Shaw (Becky), Charlene Janssen (Hans), Bonnie Steckly (Graham), Keith Shaw (Jan), Jeff Shaw (Rhodora), 14 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

Don was predeceased by his parents Gordon & Pearl Weber, his brother Cecil Weber and brother-in-law Ernie Good. He is survived by his sister Jean Good & families, and sister-in-law Ebba Weber and families.

A memorial service was held at Zion Evangelical Missionary Church in Didsbury, Alberta on October 2, 2015

MORRISH, Donald Frank 1937 - 2015

Don Morrish passed away peacefully on Sunday, October 25, 2015 at the Didsbury Hospital. He will be lovingly remembered by his wife of 57 years, Jean; daughter, Paula (Andy) Sibbald; son, Garry (Andrea) Morrish; grandchildren, Cassandra, Jordan and Melanie Morrish; sister, Bee Moser; and sister-in-law, Lorna Morrish. Don was predeceased by his brother, Bob Morrish; and his parents, Frank and Eva Morrish. At Don's request, no Service will be held. Donations in Don's memory may be made to the charity of one's choice. Messages of condolence may be left for the family at www.mylalternatives.ca



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 and families

100. Thank You 100. Thank You

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Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered. Heartfelt thanks to Heather (case worker), and the homecare team who made it possible for Don to remain in his home during his illness. We will be forever grateful.

Don Weber Family &
 Virginia Shaw & Family

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\$199,900

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1 year old home shows like new, 1562 sq ft, hardwood, tile, gas fireplace, jetted tub, granite counter tops, large kitchen island, main floor laundry, 2 covered decks, walk out basement, on pavement

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27 Didsbury Mobile Home Park



Affordable home on rented lot, nice laminate flooring, kitchen open to dining, 3 bedrooms & potential for a 4th, covered front porch, nice 2 tiered treated deck, 2 sheds

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1909 - 17 Street



Very nice College Green villa, newer hardwood floors and interior paint, 2 bedrooms, basement development started, great location, double garage, reasonable HOA fees

\$239,900

206 Campus Green



Nice 2 bedroom condo suite, 2 baths, open plan, a/c in the main living area, east facing balcony, overlooks green space, reasonable fees

\$189,900

903 - 23 Street



Great starter or revenue home, 1247 sq ft, some newer windows, wood burning stove, good storage in basement, large lot, fenced back yard

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1502 Mary Place



Nice family home, 2 + 2 bedrooms, 3 baths, double closets in master, newer laminate flooring on the main floor, R.V. parking, nice fenced yard with rear deck.

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302 Westview Greens



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130 Valarosa Drive



Beautiful new home, soaring vaulted ceilings, dark maple kitchen, very open plan, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 9' basement ceilings, backs onto trees

\$349,900

631 West Highland Crescent, Carstairs



Brand new, over 1800 sq ft, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, open plan, 9' ceilings, walk through pantry, beautiful finishes, partly covered rear deck, large corner lot

\$399,900

5 Valarosa Point



Beautiful new home, 1441 sq ft b-level, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, hardwood and tile, 9' ceilings, awesome ensuite bath, large rear deck, backs onto greenspace/break with open view

\$369,900

Unit A, 1322 - 20 Street



Contemporary styled condo, 2 fully finished levels with a total of over 1800 sq ft, 9' and 10' ceilings, large windows, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths

\$199,900

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Great starter or revenue home, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, newer furnace and siding, large lot, double detached garage, great location

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11 Park Road, Carstairs



Great starter mobile with addition on a rented lot, 2 bedrooms with potential for 3rd, upgrades to roof, windows and flooring, covered deck

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1502 Walter Place



Excellent family home, all new flooring, in-floor heat in basement, open plan, oversized heated double attached garage, underground sprinkler system, large fenced yard with 2 decks

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71 Southridge Crescent



Great home for first time buyers or revenue property, 3 + 1 bedrooms, 2 baths, large back yard with deck, fully fenced.

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